



For additional information or application materials call (608) 267-9129 or write to:

Child and Adult Care Food Program
Community Nutrition Programs
Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction
125 South Webster Street, P.O. Box 7841
Madison, Wisconsin 53707-7841
Internet Address: dpi.wi.gov/fns/index.html

Family Day Care Homes

For additional information contact a Family Day Care Home Sponsoring Organization operating in your area (see enclosed state map).



Elizabeth Burmaster, State Superintendent

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The Department of Public Instruction administers the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP) in Wisconsin.

The CACFP is a Federal program that helps provide nutritious meals and snacks to children and adults receiving day care. To accomplish this goal, USDA has established standards for the types and amounts of food to be served. Eligible facilities that meet these standards are reimbursed for the meals served to enrolled participants. Reimbursement is paid for up to two meals and one snack **or** one meal and two snacks for each participant each day. Through the CACFP, participants' nutritional needs are supported on a daily basis. The program plays a vital role in improving the quality of day care and making it more affordable for many low-income families.

In addition to day care, the CACFP helps make after school programs more appealing to at-risk youth. By offering nutritious snacks in programs serving low-income areas, agencies can increase their participation and know that youth are having a healthy snack.

Homeless children and children from temporarily displaced families can also receive up to three meals each day thorough shelters that participate in the program.

CACFP Facilities

Many different facilities operate the CACFP, all sharing the common goal of bringing nutritious meals and snacks to enrolled participants.

Child Care Centers – Licensed or approved public, private nonprofit (Federal tax-exempt) child care centers, outside of school hour centers, Head Start programs, and some for-profit centers.

Family Day Care Homes – Small groups of children receive nonresidential day care in licensed or certified private homes. The day care home must participate through an approved sponsoring organization. (See the attached list of currently approved sponsoring organizations.)

After School Programs – Licensed or approved public, private nonprofit (Federal tax-exempt), and some for-profit centers and sites in low-income areas provide free snacks to school-age children and youth.

Emergency Shelters —Licensed or approved public or private nonprofit (Federal tax-exempt), organizations and their sites provide temporary shelter and food services to homeless children.

Adult Day Care Centers —Licensed public, private nonprofit (Federal tax-exempt) and some for-profit adult day care facilities provide structured, comprehensive services to functionally impaired nonresident adults and persons 60 years and older.

Eligible Participants

- Children age 12 and under,
- Migrant children age 15 and younger,
- Functionally impaired, non-institutionalized adults or adults 60 years and older enrolled in an adult day care center,
- Youths through age 18 enrolled in after school programs in needy areas, and
- Homeless children through age 18.

The Department of Public Instruction provides resources for Program agencies, including:

- Newsletter, Child and Adult Care Food Program Letter;
- Webpage, dpi.wi.gov/fns/index.html;
- Materials from USDA and the National Food Service Management Institute;
- Training for administrators, cooks, and other staff; and
- Consultation and technical assistance

Wisconsin Sponsoring Organizations of Family Day Care Providers

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Community Coordinated Child Care (4-C), Inc.

5 Odana Court
Madison, WI 53719
1-800-292-2429 or (608) 271-5242
FAX: (608) 271-5380
Website: www.4-C.org
Email: foodprogram@4-c.org
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Wisconsin Early Childhood Association (WECA)

744 Williamson Street, Suite 200 LL
Madison, WI 53703
1-800-783-9322 or (608) 240-9880
Fax: (608) 442-5306

1442 N. Farwell Avenue, Suite 406
Milwaukee, WI 53202
(414) 278-9322
Fax: (414) 278-9336
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Community Coordinated Child Care (4-C of Milwaukee)

1805 N. Dr. Martin Luther King Drive
Milwaukee, WI 53212
1-800-300-5999 or (414) 562-2652
FAX: (414) 562-2651
Website: www.4C-milwaukee.org
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Square Meal

P.O. Box 188
Boyceville, WI 54725
1-888-251-3718 or (715) 643-3510
Email: sqmeal@wwt.net
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Child Care Centers of Marshfield, Inc.

803 North Peach Avenue
Marshfield, WI 54449
(715) 384-4854 or 1-800-870-7805
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Western Dairyland CACFP

P.O. Box 540
Eau Claire, WI 54702-0540
1-800-782-1880 or (715) 836-7511. ext. 185
Website: www.westerndairyland.org
FAX: 715-836-7580
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Horizons Unlimited, Inc.

P.O. Box 10384
Green Bay, WI 54307-0384
1-800-261-9176 or (920) 826-7292
Email: horizons@ez-net.com

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